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NOTICES.

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Victoria, 15th July, 1879. J. J. JUDSON YOUNG.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of C. T. Millard, an Insolvent.

THE UNDERSIGNED, JOSHUA DAVIES, OF

Victoria, have been appointed Assignee in this matter. Creditors are required to prove their claims and file them before me within one month.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Assignee.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George

Thomas Seymour, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED TO THE ABOVE

Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having any claims against the said estate are required to forward them, on or before the 1st day of October, 1879.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST, Administrator.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of Samuel Walker, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS HAS BEEN ISSUED

to the effect of assigning in bankruptcy on Friday the 16th day of August next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.

C. T. DEWONT, Official Assignee.

Victoria, July 14th, 1879.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

URIAH NELSON and MARCUS WOLFE HAVE

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May 5th, 1879.

THE PARTNERSHIP

WHICH HAS HERETOFORE EXISTED BETWEEN

Hayward & Jenkins has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Charles Hayward, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.

CHAS. HAYWARD, ROBT. JENKINSON, Witnesses—R. E. JACKSON, 26th June, 1879.

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING

between Alexander Phillips and Paul Beeson has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Outstanding accounts will be collected by Alexander Phillips, who will also pay all liabilities and continue the business.

Victoria, B. C., June 24th, 1879. A. PHILLIPS, P. BEESON, Witnesses—M. CAMERON, J. S. 2p

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MEDICAL.

MR. HELMOKEN

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toria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the

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patients and those requiring his services may find him.

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CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. P. Wood stated

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misleading, which he regretted had been sworn to.

Respectable physicians of London stated that Dr.

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This invaluable remedy produces quiet, refreshing

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EXTRACTS FROM MEDICAL OPINIONS.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 24th, 1879.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

THE DOMINION SUBSIDY.

"On the 27th of last month The Colonist advised the Dominion Government not to pay over to the Province the dock subsidy. These were the words made use of: 'We have no hesitation, judging the present Executive by their record, in advising the Dominion Government not to entrust the expenditure of so large a sum to their hands.'—Standard.

For once our contemporary has quoted us correctly. We plead guilty to the use of the words ascribed, and if we knew of any other words that would express our idea more strongly we should certainly employ them. "Judged by their record," this Government have proved themselves too incapable to be entrusted with the consummation of so important a work as the drydock. Their "record" is one of wretched bungling. Every important work has come to grief in their hands, and they have now undertaken another on principles contrary to law and opposed to the commands of the House. The cofferdam, etc., has cost the country upwards of \$200,000, and what is there to show for the expenditure? A half-built cofferdam which the Attorney General stated on the floor of the House last session was so wormeaten that it would "tumble to pieces as soon as the water is pumped out." And the men who are responsible for this expenditure and this condition of the dam are the men to whom the Standard would wish to see entrusted the financing of the Canadian subsidy of \$250,000; they are identical with the men who threaten not only to complete the cofferdam but to begin (they will not finish) the drydock by day-work. The Elliott Government, far from wishing to overburden the taxpayers with a financial responsibility so enormous as the construction of the drydock would entail, offered the site, the unfinished cofferdam and all the machinery and material on the ground to the British Government if it would take over and complete the dock as an Imperial work. That that offer has not been accepted is probably due to the sluggish policy of Mr. WALKER. He allowed the secession memorial to lie in the pigeonholes at James Bay for a month after the adjournment of the Local House, and when, at length, he sent the document on its travels, during a four months' recess it did not occur to him to inquire whether it had reached the Colonial Office. When, at last, he condescended to ask he discovered that instead of having been forwarded it had been quietly pigeonholed at Ottawa and had not been sent to London at all! A Government with the record of incapacity and stupidity that ours has developed should not be entrusted with drydock construction. If it has required an expenditure of \$208,000 to produce a half-built, worm-eaten cofferdam that will "tumble to pieces soon as the water is pumped out," how much will be required to build the dock? If it costs \$208,000 to put up a scaffolding what will a house cost? Who will venture to offer an estimate of the cost if the task of dock completion is left in the hands of these incompetent and reckless men, who have boldly announced through their organ their intention of carrying on the work by the day—a system that is directly opposed to the policy and practice of the Dominion Government, by whom all public work is given out by contract? The Dominion Government could not pay over the sum with a feeling of certainty that it would be applied to any other purpose than to bribe the constituencies of Victoria City and Esquimalt and to plunge the Province in hopeless bankruptcy. Our position is that it would be better for the Province and better for the Dominion, and would assure the final completion of the dock within a reasonable time, if the Dominion Government, instead of handing over to this Government the subsidy of \$250,000 to fritter away, as they have already frittered away \$200,000 in half building a wormeaten cofferdam that will "tumble to pieces as soon as the water is pumped out," should keep its subsidy and finish the dock itself. We shall be prepared presently to show to the satisfaction of the authorities at Ottawa, and to that of any reasonable person whose arms are not plunged to the elbows in cofferdam mud, that this Government is unfit to be entrusted with the expenditure of the subsidy or any other sum for drydock purposes.

THE REVIVAL OF TRADE IN THE UNITED STATES.

DUN, BARLOW & Co.'s circular gives the total number of failures in the United States and Territories for the second quarter of the present year at 1,534 and \$22,000,000 liabilities. This is notably less than in any single quarter for the past five years. Compared with the second quarter of 1878 there is a decrease of 900 failures and \$26,000,000 in the quarter ended last month. The total failures in California the last quarter were 73, total liabilities, \$831,000; of this number and amount San Francisco has 66 failures and \$134,000 in liabilities. Total failures in Colorado last quarter, 14; total liabilities, \$123,836. The Circular says: Never before in our experience in the computation of these statistics has the decrease in mercantile casualties been so marked. In no previous period has the comparison of losses by bad debts been so favorable as at the present hour. In relation to the growth in the volume of business in the past six months, as compared with the transactions in the same period in 1878, the returns from all the clearing houses in the country—some twenty-two in number—show that the total settlements or balances to be adjusted between various

banks indicated an increase of business all over the country exceeding twenty per cent. The Circular, respecting Colorado, says: It is estimated that between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 have been invested in mining operations since the first of January.

Australia and New Zealand.

John Spowers, general manager of the Melbourne Argus, and an old colonist, died suddenly of paralysis.

Native affairs in New Zealand are again threatened. The settlers have armed. They are thoroughly disciplined, and will make short work of the Maoris should fighting begin. In one district the light cavalry numbered 260 men, fully equipped; the infantry 150.

The South Australian Parliament is in session. The Governor, in his opening speech, announced a loan for the construction of railroads and public works and intimated that a measure would be introduced to compel the property class to contribute more largely to the burdens of the colony.

Sympathizers of the Kelly outlaw gang recently bought supplies of arms and ammunition in Melbourne, and got them conveyed to the outlaws. A Spencer rifle and 400 rounds of ammunition were among the purchases.

A bill providing for triennial parliaments is to be introduced by the government in the New Zealand General Assembly; also a modified land tax exempting all properties under \$2,000 in value. A graduated scale of taxation, starting at one per cent. an acre, is to be imposed.

The Victoria government was to meet on the 15th inst. The government intend to bring down only the estimates and the Reform bill for the rejection of the Legislative Council, so that another appeal may be taken to the Imperial government.

The commander of the French transport ship Calvados, which put into Melbourne June 2nd, committed suicide during the voyage. The Calvados is bound for New Caledonia to bring pardoned Communists back to La Belle France.

Affairs at Taranki are more assuring. The Government have sent large reinforcements there, and the settlers are rapidly forming a volunteer corps. The natives are less aggressive, and it is hoped that hostilities will be averted.

The Hon. Sir W. Fitzherbert, C. M. G., Speaker of the House of Representatives, has resigned, and has accepted the Speakership of the Legislative Council.

The largest fire ever known in Wellington occurred on the night of June 15th. The opera house, the Wesleyan church, two hotels, and a number of shops have been burned. The loss will be £30,000 at least. The insurance does not exceed £20,000.

The Duncedin Athenaeum and Library were partially destroyed by fire. In New South Wales free railway passes are being issued to immigrants to enable them to travel in the country districts in search of employment. The railroads belong to the State.

Taking all the New Zealand railway lines together, in round numbers they are now paying five per cent. interest on £5,000,000 or \$25,000,000 capital invested. They are owned and operated by the government.

News from the Brooker Island by the Rotorua states that the natives regard the departure of H. M. S. Cormorant, after shelling the village, as a sign of victory over the whites, and they are now threatening all the residents and traders. The natives of New Guinea are much excited in many places. They are well armed with Snider and double barreled guns, and have a large supply of ammunition.

The Indian coolie ship Leonidas has introduced smallpox among the Fijians. Their race is nearly run, especially as local plague has been operating fatally.

In New Zealand the lowest rate of agricultural wages is at present 8s (\$2) a day of eight hours' work. Wheat sells at \$1 per bushel, and butchers meat is about eight cents per pound. The consequence is that the vital statistics of the colony, just published, show an excess of birth over deaths of 230 per cent.

Ireland.

The Galway Express hears that on the night of the 19th an armed party of 50 men, disguised, visited the houses of several persons in the neighborhood of Tuam, and compelled them to take an oath that they would not pay rent to their landlords unless they were allowed a reduction of five shillings in the pound.

Mr. Martin McDonnell, Dunmore, has signified his intention of reducing the rents on his estate by seven shillings in the pound to those who pay at once, and five shillings to those who cannot pay till harvest.

The Connacht Telegraph states that it has been "credibly informed" that Mr. William Burke, J.P., agent of the estate of Sir Arthur Guinness, while riding through Cong was sealed by the contents of a bucket of boiling water which a girl threw at him in consequence of ejections being served on her for her brother and uncle.

A mysterious murder, supposed to be "agrarian," has been committed in county Clare. An old man named Davenport, a "rent warner" in the employment of Col. Gore, was found dead in bed, having been strangled. The deceased's daughter, a girl of 18, was the only other occupant of the house, and she deposited at the inquest that in the course of the night she heard some one in her father's room, and on rising in the morning she found that the door of her room had been tied on the outside to a hook in the wall, and that the house had been entered by way of the kitchen window. An open verdict was returned. Several persons have been arrested on suspicion.

China and Japan.

YOKOHAMA, June 29.—The conduct of the British Admiral, Coates, is severely criticised. This officer left Hongkong immediately before Grant's arrival there, the same at Shanghai, and now suddenly starts on a pleasure trip from Yokohama. This is understood to be in consequence of his unwillingness to give a salute of twenty-one guns. The British minister endorses his action by accompanying him on his present cruise. Governor Hennessy of Hongkong, now visiting Japan, strongly disapproves, and is understood to have urgently remonstrated.

Considerable interest is manifested over the action of the Governor of Hongkong, in reversing the oppressive and arbitrary exactions of the British Minister in Japan, by interfering with the affairs of English postal stations here, which are properly under the colonial jurisdiction of Hongkong. Governor Hennessy, who is opposed in every particular to the high-handed system long pursued in Japan, has taken the business in hand, ordered the instant restoration of post offices, rejected proposals of indemnity, and for the first time introduced the element of justice in British relations with this country.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE OF COSTUMES AT WHITE HOUSE, GOVERNMENT STREET. THE WHOLE OF THE REMAINING STOCK OF HOLLAND, CALATEA AND LAIN STRIPE CLOTHING TO BE SOLD AT PRICES GREATLY BELOW COST—M. LENZ, VICTORIA, B. C.

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ROAD TAX DEFAULTERS.

THE MUNICIPAL ROAD TAX OF TWO DOLLARS, due from all those citizens not assessed for Real Estate, will be declared delinquent on the 1st August, 1879. W. K. DILL, Collector. Office: Fort street. j24

FOR WRANGEL, GLENORA LANDING AND SITKA.

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP CALIFORNIA, CHARLES THORN, Master Will leave PORTLAND for VICTORIA WEDNESDAY, JULY 30TH, Will leave VICTORIA for WRANGEL AND SITKA ON OR ABOUT SATURDAY, AUG. 2ND. For Freight or Passage apply to J. P. GOODHUE, Agent. Office at P. McQuade & Sons. j24

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, TWO MONTHS from date, I will make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 100 acres of Land in Coast district, in Telegraph Passage. Commencing at a certain blazed hemlock, near high water mark, running east 40 chains; thence south, 40 chains; thence west, to Telegraph Passage, thence to the initial point. A stream, about 12 feet wide, 100 yards from place of beginning, runs into the passage. Application to purchase was made by me on the 15th November, 1877. W. H. WOODCOCK, j24

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED INTO PARTNERSHIP at the premises lately occupied by the late, situated on "Comorant street" in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, as general traders, under the style of T. & W. LAM TIE, LAM WEY. j22

JOSEPH CROTHUS, NATIVE OF IRELAND, WILL OBLIGE BY sending his address to A. B. FERGUSON, j24

NOTICE.

MY STOCK OF GOODS HAVING BEEN REMOVED from my old premises on Yates street on account of the fire, I will be most happy to meet my friends and customers at the entrance on Broad street, until my store is refitted. All orders left will be punctually attended to. DAVID HEAL, j22

SINGER SEWING MACHINES. FROM THIS DATE MR. W. H. ADAMS WILL REPRESENT THE INTERESTS OF THE Singer Manufacturing Company in this Province. J. H. MULLAN, j22

POSTAGE STAMPS FOR SALE AT THE COLONIST STATIONERY Store under Special Licence. j24

PIONEER INTELLIGENCE OFFICE, OF VICTORIA, B. C. YATES STREET, OPPOSITE MOORE'S DRUG STORE. GEORGE M. WESTON, Proprietor. j24

INSURANCES EFFECTED. SITUATIONS FOUND. Collections made in town and country. Conveyances, &c., &c., drawn out, and a General Agency Business transacted. j24

MA TCHOO TSUNG BEGS TO INFORM HIS OLD PATRONS THAT he will return and resume practice in a week or two at the old stand on Store Street, where he will be glad to see any of his friends or acquaintances. j24

SADDLE & HARNESS HORSES PARTIES WISHING A GOOD YOUNG HORSE Cannot do better than call on DR. TOLMIE or Mr. T. CARTER of Hillside, who have some splendid animals left in their charge for sale on REASONABLE TERMS. j24

PLAYING CARDS, HARTS and DOUGHERTY'S, For sale at THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE. j24

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SMOKE THE OLD MAN'S FAVORITE

NONE GENUINE WITHOUT STAMP.

J. RUEFF & CO., SOLE AGENTS, VICTORIA, B. C.

CHEW VENABLE'S RED TAG NAVY TOBACCOES,

THE BEST IN THE MARKET,

—FOR SALE BY—

J. RUEFF & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS,

jy24

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

FOR SALE—TO LET. In the matter of C. T. MILLARD, an Insolvent. j24

STEAMER GEM.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Undersigned until Wednesday, July 23rd, 1879, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of this interest in the Steamer Gem, now lying at New Westminster. Terms Cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. JOSHUA DAVIES, Trade Assignee. j24

Victoria, July 17th, 1879. (Guardian and Herald copy.) j24

TO LET OR LEASE.

A DWELLING-HOUSE WITH STORE ATTACHED, suitable for a grocery and provision business, situated on the Esquimalt Road. Apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN, or at the office of this paper. j24

TO BE SOLD.

THE DESIRABLE FAMILY RESIDENCE WITH Outbuildings and about 2 Acres of Land, situated on the Fairfield Road, lately occupied by Mr. HOSCOE, ALLSOP & MASON, Government street. j24

VICTORIA BOARDING-HOUSE, JOHNSON ST., OPP. HENRY SAUNDERS', IS FOR SALE WITH ALL THE APPLIANCES FOR CARRYING ON THE BUSINESS, INCLUDING BEDS. Can be had on VERY EASY TERMS. Apply immediately to SAMUEL WHITLEY, On the Premises. j24

PEDICREE BULL FOR SALE. SIXTEEN MONTHS OLD. A GOOD ANIMAL. Apply to W. R. CLARKE & CO., Auctioneers. j24

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts. j24

BANKRUPT STOCK Merchandise, Lot Cattle and Horses, Kirkman Piano, AND SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE FOR SALE BY TENDER. j24

TENDERS are invited up to 12 m. on the 18th proximo for the undermentioned property of the Estate of S. M. Nelson, an Insolvent, situated at Cook's Ferry:—

STOCK OF A GENERAL COUNTRY STORE. Consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Provisions, Liquors, Hardware, etc., all of comparatively recent purchase and well assorted, amounting as per inventory to \$3,584.44. j24

CATTLE, HORSES, ETC. About 50 head Horned Cattle, 7 or 8 Mares with Colts at foot, 2 Work Horses, 2 Waggon, 2 Sets Harness, Lot Lumber and Firewood. —ALSO—

ONE KIRKMAN PIANO And a lot of Superior Parlor, Dining and Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, &c. j24

TERMS CASH, or payments may be made in three equal instalments of 3, 6 and 9 months secured by satisfactorily endorsed paper, bearing interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per month. j24

Stock Lists can be seen and all information be obtained on application to the undersigned, or to John Murray, Esq., Cook's Ferry. j24

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and to be made separately for Merchandise, Piano and Furniture, Cattle and Horses and other personal estate. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. C. T. DUPONT, Assignee. j24

Victoria, July 17th, 1879. j24

TYE CHONG YUEN, CORMORANT STREET, VICTORIA, HAVE FOR SALE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CHINAWARE AND CHINESE GOODS TEA SETS, TEAPOTS, VASES, BOWLS, Soap and Brush Dishes, Plates, Ornaments, Baskets for Teapots, Fancy Flower Pots, etc., etc. Which will be sold at Low Rates to Close the Invoice. j24

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES Constantly on hand. j24

ACCOUNT & MEMORANDUM BOOKS IN GREAT VARIETY AT THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE Next the Postoffice. j24

VICTORIA DIV. NO. 1, SONS OF TEMPERANCE MEETS EVERY FRIDAY EVENING AT 7:30 precisely, at Hill, Yates street. j24

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WALTHAM WATCHES,

DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY, AT

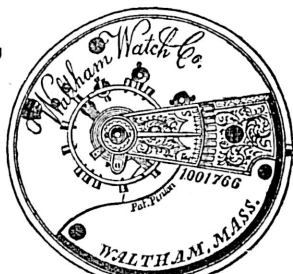
C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,

Where they can be purchased THIRTY PER CENT. LOWER than they have hitherto been sold in Victoria.

KEY WINDERS,

—IN— SOLID STERLING SILVER CASES,

\$15 AND UPWARDS.



STEM WINDERS

—IN— SOLID STERLING SILVER CASES,

\$20 AND UPWARDS.

These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM MANUFACTURE and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.

THE SAME MOVEMENTS IN GOLD CASES AT VERY LOW PRICES.



J. BATCHELOR,

(SUCCESSOR TO FREDERICK REYNOLDS.) LONDON MARKET,

Corner of Douglas and Yates Sts.

LEADENHALL MARKET,

Corner of Johnson and Government Sts., VICTORIA, B. C.

A LARGE STOCK OF CHOICE MEATS

Of every description constantly on hand and delivered to any part of the City.

FAMILIES, RESTAURANTS, SHIPS AND STEAMERS SUPPLIED AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.

N. B.—Special attention paid to the CORNING OF BEEF for Shipping. A fine lot on hand and warranted to keep in any climate. j24

REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

DESIRABLE LOT Situate at the corner of St. John and Kingston streets, James Bay.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY. 7½ Acres on Richmond Road, adjoining Mr. John Sere's property, suitable for a market garden.

TWO-ACRE LOT Nearly opposite, adjoining Mr. Baker's property.

TOWN PROPERTY. Five Choice Lots on Pandora street. Four do do Cook street.

SIX CORNER LOTS. Four Lots on Elizabeth street. Two Lots on Cook street.

The above Properties will be sold on Easy Terms, ranging from Two Hundred and upwards.

Plans of the Properties can be seen and prices ascertained at the salesrooms of J. P. DAVIES & CO., Auctioneers, Wharf St. j24

MORE NEW GOODS! NEW STYLES.

LADIES' FRENCH KID SIDE-LACED AND SIDE-BUTTON BOOTS BUTTON OXFORD AND SANDALS.

ALSO—A fine invoice of GENTS' BUCKLE SHOES, BUTTON OXFORDS, BUCKLE ALEXIS & BOX-TOE GAITERS, GENTS', BOYS' AND YOUTHS' GYMNASIAC SHOES, Constantly on hand a great variety of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

For Quality and Price not to be excelled in the Province.

GENTS' BOOTS made to order in every style and of best material and workmanship. REPAIRING promptly attended to.

H. MANSSELL, j24 VICTORIA, opposite the Postoffice.

ATLAS IRON WORKS,

COR. GOVERNMENT and PEMBROKE STS., VICTORIA, B. C., MANUFACTURES

MARINE, FISHING AND MINING MACHINERY.

The undersigned having added to his works the LARGEST and MOST IMPROVED MACHINERY in the Province is now prepared to manufacture all kinds of

IRON & BRASS CASTINGS, ENGINES, SAW, QUARTZ, AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER MACHINERY, AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES

BLACKSMITHING in all its Branches. The attention of Contractors and Builders is called to our

PARLOR FIRE GRATES Which are Japanese in the most improved style. The Grates are superior to any made on the Pacific Coast, and are sold at much LOWER RATES than they can be got elsewhere.

We also manufacture and keep on hand Sashweights, Ventilators, Jack Screws, etc., etc., which contractors and householders will do well to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

With our improved facilities we are in a position to do all kinds of work in a better manner and at Lower Rates than any other establishment in the Province. JOHN DOUGALL, Proprietor. j24

JAMES SYME, ARCHITECT MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA, B. C.

ALEX. E. DAVIE CHAS. E. POOLEY DAVIE & POOLEY, BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, ETC., LANGLEY STREET. MY1 VICTORIA.

MR. E. J. DURNY'S TERMS FOR TUITION: PIANO \$5 PER LESSONS ORCAN \$10 PER LESSONS Hydraulic Blowing free.

COPYING PRESSES & COPYING BOOKS JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE. j24

NEW CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY AT THE COLONIST OFFICE j24

SHIPPING RECEIPT BOOKS,

Package Receipt Books; Order Books; Receipt Books; Drawing Books; Workmen's Time Books; Scrap Books; Bill Books; Shipmen's Adhesive Files; Austin's Letter Files; Copying Presses; Card and Cardboards, j24

AND A LARGE STOCK OF WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE, POSTOFFICE BLOCK. j24

STRAYED INTO MOUNT TOLMIE-PARK, ABOUT THE middle of May, a RED AND WHITE STEER. If not owned within 10 days will be sold to defray expenses. Apply at The Colonist Office j24

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 23.—Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

July 23.—Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Sch Discovery, Nanaimo
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER
PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES
TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES: ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND
VERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Midnight Dispatch.

WAR BETWEEN TURKEY AND
GREECE IMMINENT!

STRINGENT PRECAUTIONS IN RUSSIA.

THE ZULUS ROUTED AND CUT TO
PIECES!

GREAT VICTORY FOR LORD CHELMSFORD

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

LONDON, July 23.—A war between the
Turks and Greeks is said to be imminent.
St. Petersburg, July 23.—Owing to
the prevalence of incendiarism the au-
thorities of Kharkoff have divided the
town into 324 fire districts. Every house-
holder is bound to keep a special night-
watchman and have thirty buckets of
water always ready.

MEMPHIS, July 23.—Thirteen new cases
are reported this morning.

LONDON, July 23.—In the House of
Commons to-day the Government an-
nounced the receipt of a telegram dated
Capetown, July 18th, which states that
Lord Chelmsford remained in camp until
the afternoon of July 3rd, awaiting the
surrender of the cannon and 1000 rifles
captured by the Zulus at Isandula. These
not arriving he advanced and was attacked
in the open country by 15,000 Zulus,
who soon fell under the heavy fire of the
British. Lord Chelmsford then advanced
and destroyed Ulundi. The Zulus lost
800. The British lost 10 killed and 53
wounded. The battle was fought July
3rd. The Zulus, variously estimated at
from 10,000 to 20,000, surrounded the
British troops, who formed a hollow
square. The Zulus charged the square
on all four sides. After the Zulus were
broken by the British fire they were pur-
sued by cavalry and utterly routed. Lord
Chelmsford burned and destroyed all
military kraals and returned to his camp
the same evening.

SAN FRANCISCO'S BOYS AND GIRLS.—
The report of Census Marshal Swift, who
has completed the school census of San
Francisco, shows that there are in the
county 30,895 white boys between the
ages of 5 and 17 years; 30,888 white girls;
170 colored boys and 147 colored girls;
also 5 Indian girls between the ages men-
tioned. There are 23,668 white children
and 110 colored children under five years
of age. There are also 2,221 Chinese
children under 17 years of age. There
were 35,328 white and 164 colored chil-
dren between 5 and 17 years old who at-
tended public schools during the year;
7,205 white, 14 colored and 5 Indian
children have attended private schools;
19,250 white and 130 colored children
not attended any school. There were 622
Chinese between 5 and 17 years old who
attended school; 28 deaf and dumb chil-
dren and 12 blind children between 5 and
21 years have been in attendance during
the year. There were 18,889 children,
native born, with both parents native born;
10,397 children are native born with
one parent foreign born; 55,882 are
native born with both parents foreign born;
2,936 are foreign born. Total num-
ber of children under 17 years of age in
county is 89,104, an increase of 7,516 over
last year.

NEW WESTMINSTER ITEMS.—The *Guardian*
understands that Mr. Robt. Camp-
bell has been appointed superintendent of
the water works at the Lunatic Asylum.
The contractors for laying the pipes have
commenced operations. Mr. T. W. Gra-
ham has just added to his extensive ap-
pointment another large importation of Italian bees.
The salmon are still comparatively scarce;
the average is about sixty to the boat.
Southampton, situated at Port Moody,
is attracting considerable attention. Several
lots were sold on Saturday in addition to
those which, it was rumored, were sold to
a Canadian capitalist, a short time ago;
or at least under offer of purchase. The
Herald reports that salmon are very
plentiful in the Gulf off the mouth of
Fraser River, and thinks that the run
may be good yet. Messrs. Berling and
Crossman have the contract for supplying
the penitentiary with bread.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived
at 1.50 p.m. yesterday from New West-
minster, having on board 34 head of cat-
tle from Col. Houghton's range, Okana-
gan, 11 horses, account of E. Nelson, and
the following passengers: Professor Le
Conte, wife and child, Miss L. Irving,
Miss L. Smith, Miss McNaughton, Mrs.
Watson and Messrs. E. Nelson, J. Hun-
ter, John Adair, Hoizer, N. Ettershank,
Lambly, R. Allen, Hennessy, J. Asin, P.
Anderson, J. Walker, Schubert, A.
Murchison, W. Birmingham, Minemorte,
Milands, F. Smith, R. Jamieson, Cle-
ments, F. Hayes, Ross, T. Jones, Graham
and Herring.

THE following passengers arrived here
yesterday afternoon from New West-
minster on board the steamer Enterprise:
Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Strong,
Mr. Pike, Miss Anderson, Miss Williams,
Miss Lawrence, Mr. Ward and Messrs.
F. Johnson, Rev. Mr. Dwyer, Rev. Mr.
Baskett, A. Macdonald, H. Trim, H. Howe,
G. Clarke, J. Lepante, A. Moncks, J.
Ball, Guydo, H. Wilcox, Brown, E.
Carroll, J. Byran, H. Pike, J. H. Doane,
J. Matthews, Smith, Flanigan, J. Mac-
Millan, O. F. Bott, A. McRae, J. Mc-
Cauley, J. D. Gwyther, J. Hutchinson,
W. M. Bennett, and D. Hope.

CRICKET MATCH.—An interesting game
may be expected on Saturday between
teams from the Rifles and one from the
Artillery. The eleven in question
are well matched, although it is believed
by the knowing ones that the Rifles have
a slight advantage.

THE steamer Victoria sails from San
Francisco to-day for this port.

DEFOT CREEK.

What is being Earned by the Minors.

The following claims on Defot Creek
are being worked with gratifying results:
PESHIGO CLAIM,
Owned by A. E. Cameron, J. Dickinson
and R. McDermott, yielding 3 ozs. per
day to the hand.

NEW HOPE CLAIM,
Owned by J. Gillis & Co., one oz per day
to the hand.

JEFFRIE CLAIM,
Owned by W. Jeffrie and J. Collins, 3
ozs. per day to the hand.

NIL DESPERANDUM CLAIM,
Owned by D. McMillan, O. Kerrigan and
P. Boyle, 2 ozs. per day to the hand.
This company will have to tunnel the hill
for a portion of their pay. Their pros-
pects are very encouraging.

BLACK BELL CLAIM,
Owned by J. Clark and J. Colvin, 2 ozs.
per day to the hand.

CALCEDONIA CLAIM,
Owned by J. C. McCrimmon, S. Evans
and W. E. Osterhout, 2 ozs. per day to the hand.

BIG NUGGETS.
Nuggets, weighing 14½ and 45½ ounces,
respectively, have been found on this
creek. McCrimmon & Co. found the
large one. It is the largest piece of clear
gold yet found in Cassiar, being quite
free of quartz. The Thibet Co. are re-
ported to have found another nugget weighing
20 ozs. in their claim.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

WEDNESDAY, July 23.
Saml. G. Smith, summoned by John
Lewis for having neglected to pay him
the sum of \$30 alleged to be due for wages.
His Honor gave judgment in favor of
plaintiff for \$10.

Mary, an Indian woman, charged with
being drunk and disorderly, was fined 5
shillings or in default, 6 hours.

FROM FORT WRANGEL AND WAY PORTS.—
The steamer Western Slope, Capt. Meyer,
arrived here at 7 o'clock last evening from
Fort Wrangel and ports on the North-
west coast. She reached the former place
on her trip up on the 10th inst. at 3 a.m.,
and arrived at the boundary line on
Stikine river the same day at 2 p.m.

Having transferred freight and passen-
gers, she returned to Fort Wrangel and
left on her down trip the following day.
She called in at the various way ports and
received the following freight: 186 brls.
salt fish from Naas river, 17 barrels
fish from Fort Simpson, 1000 cases of
salmon from Inverness, 1300 cases salmon
from Aberdeen, 16 barrels furs from Skeena
river, 9 barrels furs from Kitanuatt and 3
packages furs from Alert Bay. On the
19th inst. the gun-vessel Rocket was at
anchor in Naas river, expecting to leave
the same day for the West Coast. On the
20th inst. at 8 p.m. passed the steamer
Princess Louise in Grenville Channel, 35
miles from the mouth of Skeena river.
Following are the names of the Western
Slope's passengers: From Fort Wrangel—
Messrs. C. Vader, C. Dettie, C. Lawrence,
T. Evans, H. L. Booth, L. Laprinte, S.
L. Ranson and W. Munson. From Naas
River—Messrs. Williams and McLennan.
From Skeena—Messrs. Welsh and Car-
ter. There were also 5 steerage passen-
gers, 4 Chinese and 9 Indians.

THE GLOBE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE
CO.—In connection with the estate of the
Globe Mutual Life Insurance Company
of New York, insolvent, Jas. D. Fish, of
New York, has been appointed Receiver
by the United States Courts, and W. C.
Wells, of Montreal, Assignee, by the
Superior Court of Quebec. The \$100,000
security held by the Dominion Govern-
ment has been paid into the Bank of
Montreal, subject to the order of the
Canadian Courts for distribution among
Canadian policyholders.

JOURNALISTIC ENTERPRISE.—The San
Francisco *News Letter* is admittedly one
of the most enterprising journals on the
Pacific Coast and accompanying its issue
of the 19th inst. will be found a large and
well executed lithograph engraving re-
presenting the *parquette* and dress circle of
a theatre in which are seated many of the
representatives of California's wealth, en-
terprise and beauty. The features of the
celebrities are engraved from photographs
taken by Messrs. Bradley & Rulofson,
the well known San Francisco artists,
and may be readily recognized by those
acquainted with the originals.

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR BOYS.—We
would direct public attention to the ad-
vertisement of the St. Joseph's Mission
School for boys. The school is situated
in the suburbs and healthful locality of
Williams Lake, and the remarkable fact is
cited that since the establishment of the
school in 1863 there has not been a single
case of sickness amongst the pupils. The
terms are very reasonable. Rev. Father
McGuekin, O.M.L., is the principal.

LANOLUX.—Advices from this municip-
ality state that the mosquitoes are fear-
fully irritating—worse than the oldest
wife inhabitant can remember. The pesti-
lence has compelled the Indians to
leave their ranches. Cereal crops look
well and there is every prospect of a boun-
tiful harvest. Fruits of all kinds are
ripening rapidly and the country sur-
rounding the settlement wears a beautiful
appearance. The hay crop is heavy.

ASPHYXIATED.—In May last, two resi-
dents of Ounga Island, Alaska, met with
a sudden death. A hunter named Thomp-
son and Mr. Lambert, trader for the Al-
aska Commercial Company, left Ounga
on a hunting excursion in the former's
sloop. A few days later their bodies were
found in a cabin on the beach of an ad-
joining island. The indications point to
death by asphyxiation. Both men left
families.—*Alaska Appeal*.

FUR-SEAL.—The catch of fur-seal on
the west coast of Queen Charlotte and
Prince of Wales Islands has been unusu-
ally large this season. It may easily reach
10,000, and it would be interesting to
know whether any corresponding decrease
can be noticed at the Seal Islands. —*Alaska Appeal*.

THE run of salmon in Naas river is un-
precedentedly large and the canneries are
occupied to their utmost capacity. The
fish are large and of splendid quality and
appearance. The steamer Western Slope
brought down 2300 cases last evening
and 5000 more now await shipment. It is
estimated that the output of the canneries
this season will be about 15,000 cases.

PERSONAL.—W. B. Brawley, Esq., of
the firm of Brawley Bros., Petrolia, Penn-
sylvania, is in town. The Messrs. Braw-
ley are largely interested in oil wells.

MUNICIPAL ROAD TAX.—Those citizens
not assessed for Real Estate must hurry
up and pay their road tax to Collector
Bull before the 1st of next month.

Excitement in the House of Com-
mons.

LONDON, July 21.—In the House of
Commons the Chancellor of the Exchequer
moved to Parnell's motion an amend-
ment, expressing confidence in the Speak-
er. The Marquis of Hartington and
Gladstone supported the amendment,
amid much cheering. The debate pro-
ceeding the Home Rulers became much
excited, and Sullivan, member from
Louth, accused the Government of con-
templating the expulsion of Irish mem-
bers. Parnell's motion was rejected—421
to 29. Sir Stafford Northcote's amend-
ment to Parnell's motion, expressing con-
fidence in the Speaker, was adopted amid
loud cheers.

San Francisco Stock Market.

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—Ophir 30½;
Mex 21½; G & C 8½; B & B 15½; Cala 4.70;
Savage 11½; Con Va 4.75; Chollar 6;
Pot 4 15; H & N 11½; Point 4; Jacket 13;
Impl 1.25; Kentuck 4; Alpha 21; Belcher
3.90; Confidence 10½; S Nevada 35½;
Utah 12½; Bullion 4.95; Exchange 5½;
Overman 8½; Succor 15; Union 29; Alta
9½; Justice 4.20; Caladonia 26.25; Chal-
lenge 2.24; Ward 1.10.

French Judges Fired At.

LONDON, July 10.—A Paris dispatch
says:—Yesterday in the hall of the Coun-
cil of State at Paris great excitement was
caused by the report of four shots from a
revolver, fired in quick succession at the
members of the Council sitting upon the
bench. The shots were fired by a man
who gives his name as Verdelot, and who
upon being arrested refused to give any
explanation. Although the revolver was
loaded with ball no one was hurt. It is
thought Verdelot is insane.

CAPTAIN MOISE.—The citizens of British
Columbia and the traveling public will
be gratified to learn that Engelhardt
& Co. have received a telegram from the
agents of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.
at San Francisco announcing that Captain
Moise will be transferred to the steam-
ship Alaska and will continue on the Vic-
toria route.

MARINE.—The steamer Alexander left
Burford Inlet last night, having in tow
the ship *Alaska*. The *Alaska*, lumber
laden at Hastings Mill. She will arrive
to-day and then proceed to Nanaimo to
bring down the bark Revere, laden with
Wellington coal for San Francisco and the
bark Herman laden with V. C. Co.'s coal.

EDUCATIONAL.—Mrs. Berkeley has been
appointed lady principal of the girls' de-
partment of Nanaimo public school.

NEW HOSE.—The Fire Department
have ordered 1,000 feet of hose from
Montreal.

THE steamship City of Chester sailed
here at 4 o'clock yesterday morning for
Puget Sound ports.

NO MEETING of the City Council was
held last night.

HAWAII.—The Chinese are rapidly peo-
pling the Sandwich Islands.

The Cape Beale Light.

EDITOR COLONIST.—My object in
writing in the Cape Beale light is not to
reply to the remarks of the keeper,
Mr. E. Cox, but to state for the infor-
mation of the public that on the night
of the eleventh of May, 1878, the
schooner Favorite was on the beach
at Dodge's Cove, Barclay Sound, a
short three miles from the lighthouse
at Cape Beale. During the whole of
that night Capt. McKay, his mate and
crew and Mr. Andrew Laing have, as I
know, officially reported that the light
was stationary and did not re-
volve from the time of lighting until
daylight next morning. It was sub-
sequently proved on examination be-
fore witnesses that the machinery work-
ed well and that it was in no respect
out of order. The statement of Mr.
Cox that the agent told him to allow
the light to remain stationary no one
will believe, as it is impossible that
any man with experience could in-
struct a lightkeeper to allow a revolving
light to remain stationary, particu-
larly when by so doing disaster might
be the consequence, to mariners mis-
taking Beale light for that of Cape
Flattery. The public may draw their
own inferences. A. BUNSTER.

Victoria, B.C., July 23.

Cape Beale Light not Stationary.

Depart. Marine and Fisheries, B. C.
Agency, Victoria, July 23.

EDITOR COLONIST.—In your issue of
to-day is an article on the Cape Beale
light which is well calculated to mis-
lead the public, and more especially
masters of ships, in regard to the in-
tended usefulness of the said light.

In Mr. Cox's letter of July 10th,
published in your paper of the 22nd
inst., he says "that the (late) agent
told him it was better to leave them
stationary than run the risk of break-
ing the machinery, it being out of
order." Mr. Cox does not say that it
is stationary, but that the machinery
"is a little out of order." In your
paper of to-day you state that it is
stationary, which is incorrect.

I visited Cape Beale light on the
18th inst. and inspected it. It is a
little irregular in its revolutions (six or
seven seconds) caused by the wear of
part of the machinery, which will be
remedied as soon as it is possible to do
so.

F. REVELLY, Agent.
[Our error arose from a misconcep-
tion of the words used by Mr. Cox in
his note to us.—ED. COLONIST.]

Aromatic Coffee.

This article has become a public favor-
ite and is still put up fresh every day
at the Victoria Steam Coffee and Spice Mills
on Wharf street, in Three-pound Cans
at 21¢ each. Also, the best brands of
Tea in Cans at lowest cash prices.

Spices put up in Patent Tins and war-
ranted strictly pure.

L. STEINER.

To GYMNASIUMS.—H. Mansell has received
direct from New York an invoice of
Gents' Boys' and Youths' GYMNASIUM
Shoes for running, jumping, etc., and
would direct the attention of those who
intend to engage in the sports at the
forthcoming picnics. 227 Opposite the
Postoffice, Victoria.

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NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUM-
BIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DIS-
PATCHES.

Morning Dispatch.

FRANCE.

THE BONAPARTISTS.

PARIS, July 22.—At the Bonapart-
ist caucus on Saturday, 55 Senators
and Deputies out of 115 were present,
and with only two dissentients a reso-
lution was finally adopted declaring
Prince Jerome the head of the Bonapart-
ist family.

BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS, July 22.—The Jesuit ar-
rested as an accomplice of Von Harne
has been liberated.

Another placard threatening the
King was found on the wall of the
theatre of Liege.

ITALY.

ROME, 22.—The officer who killed
Gen. Frazzetta has killed himself.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 22.—Six prizes in the
Whitely competition at Wimbledon
have been pooled and equally divided
among the competitors who made the
best possible score.

THE ZULUS.

LONDON, July 22.—In the House of
Lords, to-day, the Government an-
nounced that Lord Chelmsford, in
negotiating with Cetewayo, had consented
to receive from him one thousand
rifles instead of the condition that the
Zulus should lay down their arms.

A correspondent with Gen. Crealock
telegraphs that eight chiefs, with their
followers, have sent in an intimation
that they would surrender. John
Dunlop's scouts report that one of the
kraals occupied at Chelmsford's camp was
the Zulu base of operations. It is sup-
posed that the King will take inces-
sible ground. It is certain that his
army will refuse to follow if he at-
tempts to do so. The Amatonga tribe
are threatening the Zulus, and the
King's prospects are gloomy. We have
in camp 1,200 Zulus surrendered.

The power of the Zulus appear to be
crumbling, and submissions are made
hourly.

WEST INDIES.

New York, July 22.—The Haytian
Minister to the United States has in-
formation by cable from Port au Prince
that the President had abdicated and
gone to Kingston, Jamaica.

English Mail.

(Per Steamer Isabel.)

At a meeting of the Westchester
Chamber of Agriculture, Mr. Winn-
Knight, M. P., said:—"The so-called
free trade was not free trade. That
very eminent man, Mr. Cadden, thought
he was doing a great good for his coun-
try in getting free trade established,
but such was not the case. Bismarck,
the greatest man in Europe, saw what
a free trade policy meant, and they
knew what he had been doing lately.
The farmers wanted protection, but
they would not get it by themselves.
They must get the towns to support
them, and then they would have a
chance. There was one thing that
struck him much, and that was that if
they were to depend on their food on
foreign countries, in case of dispute
they would not be able to make war at
all with other countries, because their
food supply would be stopped." The
honourable member concluded by re-
marking that unless the whole country
returned to something like protection
he did not know what was to be done.
Another speaker said:—"It was not
only the farmers who were crying out,
but the manufacturers of Lancashire
had had a great change come over them
with reference to unrestricted free
trade, for foreign nations were supply-
ing them with goods cheaper than they
could make them."

The Mayor of Manchester has notified
that, "on account of the apprehen-
sion of canine madness," all dogs with-
in the city are to be confined from the
1st of July to the 1st of October.

The Duke of Buccleuch and Lord Lo-
thian were recently walking in the
grounds of Mountveit, when the light-
ning struck at their feet and tore up
the earth for some distance.

The attempt to lay the foundation
stone of the new Eddystone lighthouse
on the 21st having failed owing to
rough weather, the Duke of Edin-
burgh will make another attempt to lay
the stone in August.

His Royal Highness the Duke of
Connaught will vacate his command of
the first Battalion Rifle Brigade at the
close of the year, when he will have
completed three years' service as lieuten-
ant-colonel.

A Parliamentary paper has just been
issued containing a declaration between
the French and British Governments
for regulating the mode of dealing with
the proceeds of vessels wrecked upon the
coasts of the two kingdoms.

The nailmakers in the East Worces-
tershire and South Staffordshire dis-
tricts decided on the 23rd to give the
employers fourteen days' notice for an
advance in wages. If this is not con-
ceded the whole body of nailers, some
20,000 in number, will turn out.

A suicide under circumstances of
peculiar desperation has taken place at
Salford, where a man shot himself on
the high road. Missing a vital part,
he cut his throat. As this also proved
ineffectual, he lay face downward in a
shallow pool of dirty water. Here he
was found dead.

A marriage was solemnized on the
25th in London between Captain Burn-
aby of Khiva fame, and Miss Haw-
kins Whitehead, daughter of the late
Sir Vincent Hawkins Whitehead. The
guests numbered 400, and included the
Marquis of Salisbury.

Mr. Jamieson, one of the liquidators

of the City of Glasgow Bank, is in
London to point out to the London
creditors the difficulties attending an
immediate realization of the assets of
the bank, and to induce them, if pos-
sible, to agree to a compromise of their
claims.

Some experiments have taken place
at Spiez with the 100 ton Armstrong
gun, for the purpose of testing steel
armour plating and the respective
merits of various projectiles. It is said
the general conviction is that the ex-
periments fully proved the utter in-
efficiency of steel plates for defensive
purposes.

A movement has been inaugurated
for the establishment of provident dis-
pensaries in London. At a meeting
held to take the initiatory steps, Sir
Charles Trevelyan said that the hospi-
tal system was breaking down finan-
cially, and was the cause of great waste
of time to the working classes.

The first Lord of the Admiralty, Sir
Cooper Key, and Lord Charles Scott
have met and decided the course to be
taken by the Bacchant in her forth-
coming cruise with the sons of the
Prince of Wales, and the officers to be
appointed to her. The young princes
will visit in the course of their voyage
most of the British colonial possessions.

On the 23rd Cardinal Manning pre-
sided at the first celebration of mass in
the restored building known as Ely
chapel, Holborn, when a large number
of the Roman Catholic clergy and lay-
men were present. His Eminence
preached, and spoke at some length on
the Ritualist movement in the Church
of England, saying that there were at
present in that country hundreds of
thousands of Anglicans who refused to
call themselves Protestants, and who
refused to accept a human interpreta-
tion of the divine revelation, but who
were still ignorant that there existed
on this earth a divinely commissioned
interpreter. His Eminence said he
had reason to be hopeful for the res-
toration of England to Catholicity.

The Paris *Globe's* correspondent at
Chislehurst asserts that when the sub-
ject of the Prince Imperial's going to
the Cape was placed before Lord Bea-
consfield he strongly objected to it.
The Prince again appealed to the Pre-
mier through the Duke of Cambridge,
and having set to work to influence
other high personages to back up his
application, he at last obtained Lord
Beaconsfield's reluctant assent that he
should go.

A shocking attempt at murder and
suicide was made at the Worcester po-
lice court recently. A young woman
named Susan Little was waiting in the
passage, being the complainant in an
affiliation case, when the defendant,
William Henry Ballard, of Wolver-
hampton, seized her, and drew a razor
across her throat. He afterwards in-
flicted two severe wounds on his own
throat. Both are likely to recover.

Mr. Bradlaugh, speaking at a meet-
ing convened for the purpose of elect-
ing the Radical Two Hundred, at
Northampton, said his position now
was much stronger than at the last
election. He could command 2,000
votes against the 1,700 he then polled.
He pleaded for union, so as to enable
the Liberals and Radicals to wrest the
two seats from the two Tories. If the
Liberals would not unite he would
fight alone, for he was determined to
sit for Northampton.

Lord Coleridge has had before him a
case in which the Rev. H. G. Harvey
sued the Archbishop of Canterbury for
refusing to institute him to the rectory
of Cowden, in Kent. The living was
bequeathed to the plaintiff by his
father, and is worth £600 a year. The
Archbishop refused to institute him be-
cause he had lived eleven years with
his wife before he married her, and on
the marriage he made several false
statements. Judgment was postponed.

There is dismay among the professors
of precedent and horror sits upon the
roul of the compilers of peerages. A
few days ago a well-known gentleman
invited a large party to dinner to meet
Sarah Bernhardt. Amongst this party
were too very well-known ladies, one
the daughter of a Duke, and the other
the wife of a Duke's son. The host,
however, disregarding all the sacred
canons, took down the actress to din-
ner before them. The effect, I hear,
was stupendous.

Lady Burlett-Coutts is going on a
yachting tour. She has chartered a
vessel of 800 tons. She may be heard
of in the Mediterranean.

Sir H. Havelock, M. P., speaking
at a Liberal dinner, declared the Isan-
dula disaster was the result of "aristo-
cratic incapacity."

According to the official returns,
twenty-one centenarians died in Ireland
last year, one being 110 years old and
another 106. The latter had a daugh-
ter only 15 years of age.

Canadian Mail.

(Per Steamer City of Chester.)

FORT FAIRFIELD, F. B., July 10—
Mrs. Thos. Everett, of Andover, N. B.,
a widow lady, got up in the night
on hearing a noise in the barn and fell
down stairs and broke her neck.

Toronto, July 16.—A fire to-night
destroyed the upper portion of W. B.
Hamilton & Co.'s boot and shoe factory.
Loss \$80,000. Insured.

OTTAWA, July 17.—United States
consul Cummins died to-day.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH

NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual

weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1879.

LIABILITIES. **ASSETS.**

Notes in Circulation \$ 1,790 00 Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver \$ 33,907 50

Deposits due to other Banks and Branches 12,011 05 Gold Bullion 3,418 05

Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest 74,517 75 Notes and Cheques of other Banks 2,741 50

Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest 202,278 83 Landed and other Property 15,000 00

Total amount of Liabilities \$ 431,408 24 Balances due from other Banks and Branches 120,429 50

Total amount of Assets \$ 431,408 24 Amount of all other debts due to the Bank 215,233 83

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1879 \$ 50,000 00

Rate of last dividend declared to Shareholders 7 per cent per annum

Amount of last dividend declared for half year \$ 3,500 00

Amount of Reserved Profit at the time of declaring said dividend \$ 225,000 00

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of July, 1879. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

(Signed) R. P. RITCHIE, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH CO-

LOMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the

several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1879.

LIABILITIES. **ASSETS.**

Notes in circulation \$ 214,745 00 Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver \$ 190,475 40

Balances due to other Banks and Branches 2,655 92 Gold Bullion 6,773 08

Deposits not bearing interest \$ 712,270 23 Landed and other Property 26,615 41

Deposits bearing interest 52,975 08 Balances due from other Banks and Branches 120,429 50

Total amount of Liabilities \$ 982,559 23 Total amount of Assets \$ 982,559 23

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1879 \$ 1,750,000 00

Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders 7 per cent per annum

Amount of last dividend declared \$ 60,550 00

Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring said dividend \$ 215,000 00

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 16th day of July, 1879. (Signed) W. M. C. WARD, Manager.

(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

(Signed) W. M. C. WARD, Manager.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY, J. P.

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HENRY DAVIDSON, Esq., Muirhouse, in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the Meeting—

THE ANNUAL REPORT by the Directors as to the Progress of the Business.

REPORT on the Books and Accounts by the professional Auditor of the Company.

BALANCE SHEETS of the Company's Affairs, certified by the Auditor and those of
the Directors, in accordance with the Acts of Parliament constituting the
Company.

A GENERAL and COMPARATIVE STATEMENT explanatory of the progress of the Bu-
siness from 1825 to 1878.

RESULTS COMMUNICATED IN THE REPORT

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1878 (2247 Proposals) £1,432,031 0 10

AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1878 (1810 Policies) £1,111,005 3 4

ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1878 £38,476 11 5

CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year 1878, exclusive of Bonus Additions £439,807 13 8

AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the last five years £20,220,234 10 7

SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November, 1878 (of which £2,309,911:13:9 is
Re-assured with other Offices) £19,005,152 1 1

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T. F. SWANWICK,
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MUNICIPAL.

MUNICIPAL BY-LAW.

A Bylaw to prohibit the erection of Wooden
Buildings within certain Fire Limits
within the City of Victoria:

1. That such part of the City bounded
on the North by Johnson street, on the East
by Broad street and on the West by the
Water Frontage be hereby declared with-
in the Fire Limits of the City of Victoria.
The centre of Johnson to centre of Fort,
from centre of Broad shall be limits re-
ferred to above.

2. All Buildings hereafter erected with-
in the Fire Limits shall have their outside
Walls and party Walls made of Brick,
Stone or other incombustible material and
such outside Walls shall extend four feet
above Wall Plate of Roof, and party Walls
shall also extend to same height above
Wall Plate of Roof. Roofs shall be cov-
ered with such material as will afford pro-
tection against Fire and the Walls shall
be so constructed as to separate all Wood
Work thoroughly and completely of the
interior and exterior of such Building
from all and every part of the interior and
exterior of any adjoining Building. If
the apex of Roof should exceed the height
of Fire Walls, then the Roof must be
covered with such material as will afford
protection against Fire. In the case of
Gables the Walls are to be carried up to
the full height of the Apex of said Roof.
The term Building as applied in this
Section, shall not include Privies or
Sheds for storage of Coal, Wood or Wharf
Sheds.

3. All Repairs to Buildings constructed
of brick, stone, or other incombustible
materials, shall be made to conform to
this Ordinance.

4. The Wooden Building within the
said Fire Limits shall not be altered or
changed without the written permission of
the Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire
Department, approved by a majority of
the Fire Wardens, which permit shall
specify fully the alterations or changes re-
quired, and no such permit shall be given
if any increase will be made by the pro-
posed change or alteration in the size of
any Wooden Building within the said
Limits, or if such repairs or alterations
will increase the value of such building
more than Twenty-five per cent. The ap-
plications therefor and a copy of each of
such permits shall be kept on file in the
office of the City Clerk.

5. No Building within the said Fire
Limits shall be removed except to a por-
tion of the same lot on which it stands or
to a point outside the Fire Limits.

6. Whenever any building shall be by
any means so much injured as to be, in
the judgment of the Chief Engineer and
a majority of the Fire Wardens, a dan-
gerous nuisance, or when any Wooden
Building within the said Fire Limits shall,
in the judgment of the Chief Engineer
and a majority of the Fire Wardens, be
damaged by fire to the extent of one-half
or more of its actual value, the Chief En-
gineer shall cause to be served upon the
owner or person having control thereof a
notice requiring such person to remove
the same forthwith, and the person re-
ceiving such notice shall, within ten days
after receiving the same comply with the
requirements thereof.

7. One Story Buildings—Foundations
to be not less than eighteen inches in thick-
ness and not less than eighteen inches
in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may
be, brick walls to be not less than twelve
inches thick. Two Story Buildings—
Foundations to be not less than twenty-
two inches thick and not less than eight-
een inches in the hard clay or gravel, as
the case may be. Brick Walls—Ground
floor to be not less than seven inches
thick; first floor not less than twelve
inches thick.

8. Any person or persons violating any
of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be
deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on
conviction thereof before the Police
Court shall be punished by a fine of not
less than ten or more than one hundred
dollars, and each day of maintaining or
continguing such violation shall be deemed
a new offence and punished accordingly.

9. The Chief Engineer of the Victoria
Fire Department and the Fire Wardens
are required to see that the provisions of
this Bylaw are enforced and to make com-
plaints in the Police Court for violation
thereof.

10. This Bylaw may be cited for all
purposes as "The Bylaw for Prohibiting
the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879."

Passed the Municipal Council this
Sixteenth day of July, One Thou-
sand Eight Hundred and Seventy-
nine.

Wm. Leigh,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

J. H. TURNER, MAYOR.

MUNICIPAL BY-LAW.

A Bylaw to Amend the Victoria Revenue
Bylaw, 1879.

The Schedule A amended to the Bylaw
entitled "The Victoria Revenue Bylaw,
1879," is hereby amended by the addition
of the following words, which shall be
read with and form part of the Schedule
referred to in the said Bylaw:

"That each and every vehicle plying
for hire in the public streets of the City
of Victoria shall pay a rate of \$2.50 for
"every six months."

This Bylaw may be cited as The Victoria
Amendment Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

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